# Nomination form

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Please tell us why you feel they are the best person to receive this award

Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.

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THE HIGHLAND THIRD SECTOR PARTNERSHIP

CELEBRATING THE CHAMPIONS OF OUR COMMUNITY

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About the Highland Third Sector Partnership

What we do:
We support the development of volunteering, social enterprise, a strong third sector and it’s participation in community and public planning.

The difference we make:
Through our work, the third sector in Highland is more Empowered, Sustainable, Effective, Stronger and United. Moreover it is more able to meet local need, deliver against and articulate its contribution to the Scottish Government’s National Priorities and the Highland Community Planning Single Outcome Agreement.

The Highland Interface local service partners we work with:
- Caithness Voluntary Group
- CVS North Voluntary
- Ross-shire Voluntary Action
- Signpost—Inverness and Nairn
- Skye & Lochalsh
- Vol. Action Lochaber
- Vol. Action Badenoch & Strathspey
- Vol. Groups East Sutherland

For more information please visit: www.htspinterface.org.uk

About the awards

What are the aims of the awards?
The aim of the awards is to celebrate the work of the third sector and to recognise the hard work and commitment of volunteers. Moreover the impact that they have on the community.

Who can submit a nomination?
Nominations are welcomed from the community, organisations, individuals or elected officials.

How do I submit a nomination?
Nominations can be submitted:
1. By the online nomination form: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/htspform
2. By emailing the nomination form at the end of this booklet to: Info@htspinterface.org.uk
3. By posting the nomination form at the end of this booklet to:
   TS Awards 2014
   HTSP
   Thorfin house
   Bridgend Industrial park
   Dingwall
   IV15 9SL

What is the deadline for nominations?
15th of August

How will the winners be selected?
A panel of judges will select winners by the 20th of August. The winners will be notified on the 21st.

Where and when is the award ceremony?
The date and venue of the ceremony will be confirmed at a later date, all involved will be notified of the details when they be become available.

Award Types

Youth volunteer of 2014
A young person under the age of 25 who is excited and engages with volunteering. We are particularly interested in someone who has grown as an individual as a result of their experience and/or someone who has made a real difference in their role as a volunteer.

Community initiative 2014
An award for a community who has taken ownership of an idea/concept and delivered it into reality to tackle a community need, issue or vision.

Intergenerational initiative 2014
For groups or individuals who have taken part in successful cross-generational activity, particularly the under 26 and over 65 age groups, where they have been able to share skills, experience and/or knowledge bases.

Highland partnership 2014
For groups who have achieved a social or community benefit either across the Third sector or across sectors. The panel would expect to see innovation in the way the partnership has worked and information about what has made it successful.

Older peoples Champion 2014
An individual who has successfully championed the rights and opportunities of older people in the last year.

Volunteer of the year 2014
For an individual of any age who has volunteered in anyway. Their story should be inspirational.

Outstanding contribution to the Third Sector 2014
For any individual who has made an outstanding contribution to the Third Sector. They do not have to have any formal relationship with the Third Sector but they do have to have made a contribution in either a time, skills or effort basis.